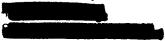


SHAKLEE INDEPENDENT DISTRIBUTORS

Sarah & Avery West



June 8, 2006

Federal Trade Commission/Office of the Secretary, Room H-135 (Annex W) 600 Pennsylvania Ave., NW Washington, DC 20580

Re: Business Opportunity Rule, R511993

Dear Sir or Madam;

We are writing to express strong opposition to the proposed Business Opportunity Rule R511993. We fully understand that the FTC must protect the public from "unfair and deceptive acts or practices," but the rule as proposed would make it very difficult for us to operate our business as a Shaklee Independent Distributor.

There are many unfair and quite burdensome sections of the proposed rule. Shaklee Corp. is celebrating their 50th year and we have been there with them through 30+ of those years.

We are opposed to so many of the provisions we think it appropriate to start over and come up with a new rule that does not require the release of our Distributors personal information that could be used in identity theft.

We would also ask that long established companies like Shaklee with perfect or near perfect records be asked for input to write protective yet fair rules!



Avery West Ind. Shaklee Dist.



Sarah West Ind. Shaklee Dist.